Little Bennett ES (Clarksburg/Damascus ES #7) -- No. 036500

Category Subcategory Administering Agency Planning Area Montgomery County Public Schools Individual Schools Public Schools Clarksburg Date Last Modified May 12, 2009
Required Adequate Public Facility
Relocation Impact None
Status On-going

EXPENDITURE SCHEDULE (\$000)

Cost Element	Total	Thru FY08	Rem. FY08	Total 6 Years	FY09	FY10	FY11	FY12	FY13	FY14	Beyond 6 Years
Planning, Design, and Supervision	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Site Improvements and Utilities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Construction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FUNDING SCHEDULE (\$000)											

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	Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

DESCRIPTION

The Clarksburg Master Plan, approved in 1994, allows for the potential development of 15,000 housing units. The first phase, the Clarksburg Town Center, is beginning to be occupied. Development of this community will result in the formation of a new cluster of schools. A feasibility study was conducted in FY 2002 to determine the cost and scope of an addition at Clarksburg Elementary School. Currently, Clarksburg Elementary School has a program capacity for 401 students. Enrollments are expected to reach 798 by September 2006 and 1,359 by September 2009.

Based on the continuous growth in this part of the county, as well as the cost of an addition at Clarksburg Elementary School that was higher than anticipated due to site constraints, a new elementary school was approved. A new elementary school will provide needed capacity for Clarksburg Elementary School, as well as provide flexibility for additional growth.

A feasibility study to determine the cost and scope of a new elementery school was conducted in FY 2003. An FY 2004 appropriation was approved for planning funds. An FY 2005 appropriation was approved for construction funds. An amendment to the FY 2005-2010 CIP in the amount of \$3.25 million in expenditures was approved by the County Council to provide additional funding for this project due to rising construction costs. Of that amount, \$2.2 million was approved by the County Council as an FY 2005 Special Appropriation. This new school is scheduled to open by August 2006.

CAPACITY

Program Capacity After Project: 685

Teaching Stations: 30

OTHER DISCLOSURES

- MCPS asserts that this project conforms to the requirements of relevant local plans, as required by the Maryland Economic Growth, Resource Protection and Planning Act.

APPROPRIATION AND		
EXPENDITURE DATA		
Date First Appropriation	FY03	(\$000)
First Cost Estimate Current Scope	FY00	0
Last FY's Cost Estimate		17,812
Appropriation Request	FY10	0
Supplemental Appropriation Requ	0	
Transfer		0
Cumulative Appropriation		0
Expenditures / Encumbrances	0	
Unencumbered Balance	0	
Partial Closeout Thru	FY07	0
New Partial Closeout	FY08	17,812
Total Partial Closeout		17,812

COORDINATION

Mandatory Referral - M-NCPPC

Department of Environment Protection

Building Permits:

Code Review

Fire Marshall
Department of Transportation

Inspections

Sediment Control

Stormwater Management

WSSC Permits

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by the Maryland Economic Growth, Resource Protection and Planning Act. MAP

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